Amendment No. 1 to HB1578

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## Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 1183\*

House Bill No. 1578

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 50, Part 8, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

In addition to the sick leave granted under § 8-50-802, a state employee who is a veteran with a service-connected disability of thirty percent (30%) or more receives thirty-six (36) hours of leave each year that can be used to attend appointments related to the service-connected disability. However, no unused leave remaining at the end of the year may be carried over to the subsequent year.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2021, the public welfare requiring it.